

I think what Sinclair Broadcasting is doing is deplorable and shows exactly why media ownership rules need to be strengthened. Otherwise, it is the candidate that bows down to the corporate interest of billion dollar companies such as Sinclair that wins—not consumers and not candidates that might put the brakes on corporate abuses. It becomes a vicious circle, a constant quid pro quo, that threatens our democracy by disrupting the free flow of ideas. After all, are there not American soldiers dying in Iraq?